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LETTER TO THE OFFICIAL DRAFTSMAN

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Enclosed herewith is a set of sheets of copies of formal drawings for the abovecaptioned patent application. Each sheet is marked on the back with the docket number, inventor's name, the serial number and filing date.

The copies include changes specified in a Preliminary Amendment filed on or about November 15, 2001.

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